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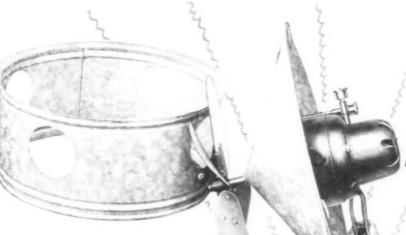
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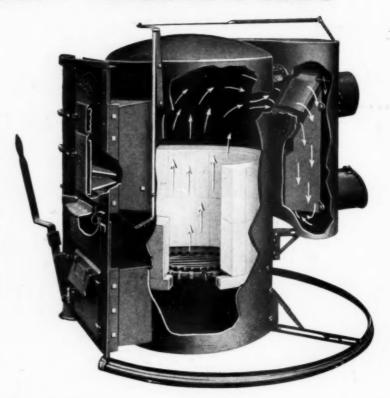
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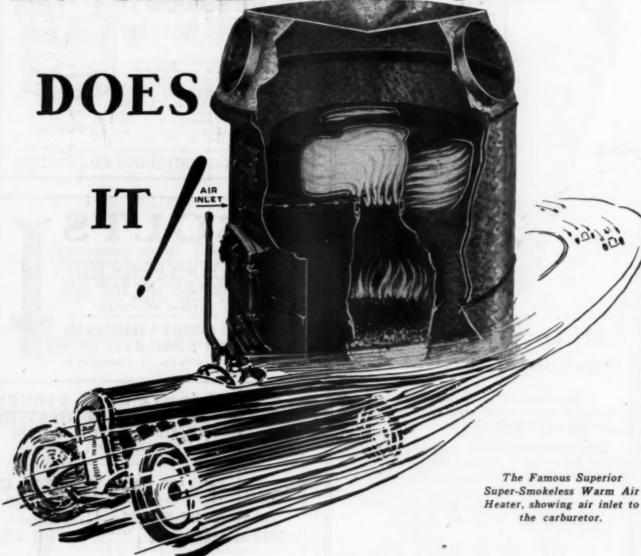
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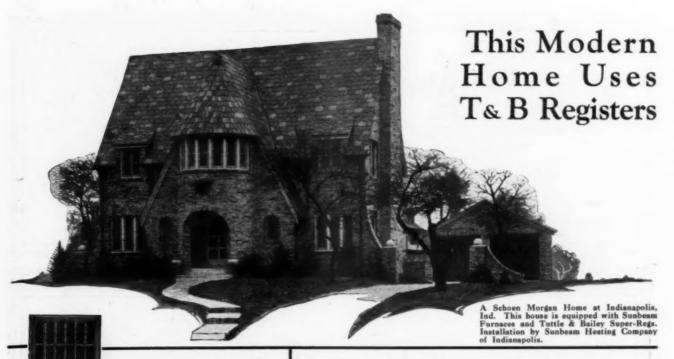
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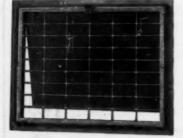


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If you work for a man, in Heaven's name work for him. If he pays you wages that supply your bread and butter, work for him, speak well of him, and stand by him, and by the institution he represents. I think if I worked for a man, I would work for him. I would not work for him part of his time, but all of his time. I would give my undivided service or none. If put to the pinch, an ounce of loyalty is worth a pound of cleverness.

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But, I pray you, so long as you are a part of an institution, do not condemn it. Not that you will injure the institution—not that—but when you disparage the concern of which you are a part, you disparage yourself.

And don't forget-"I forgot"-won't do in business .- Elbert Hubbard.



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Illustration Shops Copper Used in the Roof of the DuPont Conservatory, Longwood, Pennsylvania, to Hold the Glass in Place

# Copper Holds Glass in Place at Du Pont Conservatory, Longwood, Pa.

Conservatories Built for Permamence as Well as for Beauty

By C. H. THOMAS

T Longwood, which is near A Kennett Square, Pennsylvania, there stands what is now known as one of the largest conservatories in the United States; rare tropical plants, flowers and vines are seen here, growing in a temperature that has been produced by the use of oil burning equipment, and in itself a thing of beauty to every one who visits the place, and it is visited annually by thousands; it is just north of the new Route 1, or Baltimore pike, about a couple of miles east of Kennett. Copper has been and is being used largely in the buildings, in which the glass is set for these immense conservatories, and here hundreds of square feet are being placed at this time.

Metal was chosen because of its rust resisting qualities and its other many valuable points which made it the one material that would successfully fill the bill at this place; much copper is seen throughout the buildings and has proven satisfactory in every way.

With the added stress of high temperatures, both inside and out, this copper has to withstand more than it would in the average installation, and the best grades have been chosen for their use in this building.

These conservatories represent an investment of millions, thus the materials that have been installed here have to undergo the closest scrutiny, and copper seems to be the only material that will completely take the place for what they want and that will last over a period of years, withstanding high temperatures at all times. In parts of the building where rare tropical plants are housed, tropical temperature has to be maintained so that the plants will not die: bananas are grown under glass here as well as other warm temperature plants, and thus copper serves again.

# "The Eighth Wonder" Describes Ventilating System in Largest Tunnel in World

The introduction of large construction projects into the modern scheme of things has brought with it not only problems in structural engineering, but problems in the field of ventilation as well. Perhaps nowhere in the field of modern engineering has the need for adequate ventilation made itself more apparent than in the removal of automobile exhaust gases and the introduction of fresh air into the new Holland tunnel which connects lower New York City with New Jersey.

Some idea of the magnitude of this task can be imagined when it is learned that the tunnel is over 9,000 feet in length, 5,000 feet of which is actually under the waters of the Hudson River, and 30 feet in diameter, there being two such tubes, one for eastbound traffic and one for westbound traffic.

The story of the construction of this tunnel and a description of the ventilating apparatus whose job it is to keep it supplied with fresh air, as well as to remove the exhaust gases from automobiles, is set forth in a very entertaining and instructive manner in a book, entitled "The Eighth Wonder," published by the B. F. Sturtevant Company, Boston, Massachusetts.

The Holland tunnel is the largest tunnel in the world, and the story of its construction and operation is very interesting reading. The ventilating equipment employed in this gigantic task is that of the B. F. Sturtevant Company.

#### SPOT NEWS

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V. W. Wendlick having retired from the Pacific Furnace & Sheet Metal Works, Portland, Ore., A. G. Ross will continue the business.

H. I. Kinney and Geo. W. Kinney have taken over the management of the Simplex Heat Regulator Company in Minneapolis, Minn.

Wolff, Kubly & Hirsig, 401 W. Gilman, Madison, Wis., has the contract for sheet metal work and copper store fronts for Sol Levitan store and office building.

The L. E. Glaze Furnace & Sheet Metal Construction Co., 811 Commercial street, Waterloo, Iowa, has the sheet metal contract for the residence of J. H. Cummings.

The Broadway Sheet Metal Co., 424 Vancouver, Portland, Ore., has the sheet metal contract for the Mormon Church.

McCluney Bros., 1023½ W. Pico street, Los Angeles, Cal., has the sheet metal contract for warehouse of the Spartan Grocery Co.

The Paramount Sheet Metal Works, Glendale, Cal., has the contract for sheet metal work on Methodist Episcopal Church in Fullerton, Cal., at \$2,120.

The Golden Gate Sheet Metal Works, 1515 14th street, Oakland, Cal., submitted the only bid, at \$1,247.50, for alterations to air ducts in arena basement of Municipal Auditorium.

Booth & Herboth, Marysville, Cal., have the heating, ventilating, sheet metal and plumbing contract for high school building at Placerville, Cal.

The Main Cornice Works, Los Angeles, Cal., has the sheet metal contract for mess hall at Soldiers' Home, and also for the addition to the Fullerton Union High School of Fullerton.

N'. Hirschberg has begun the construction of a tin shop, 25x80 feet, on the corner of 83rd street and Compton avenue, Los Angeles, Cal.

Allen S. Jones has engaged in the sheet metal business at 1155 Venice boulevard, Los Angeles, Cal., as Los Angeles Metal Stamping Co.

The Duncan Sheet Metal Works Co., 721 Tuttle street, Des Moines, Iowa, has the sheet metal work and metal ceiling contract for L. Oransky & Son department store.

Magnuson & Trieb, 1607 W. 43rd street, have been awarded the sheet metal contract for Sisters' Home, 58th and Michigan, Kansas City, Mo.

The Oklahoma Roof & Cornice Co., 7 East Brady street, Tulsa, Okla., has the contract for sheet metal work for Adams & Redding residences at 2614 S. Trenton, 1247. East 29th street, and Lot 27, Block 29, Sunset Terrace.

The Chevy Furnace Co. has been incorporated in Louisville, Ky., by William Jekel, 4129 Taylor boulevard, and others.

The Turner Roofing & Supply Co., 1308 East Houston street, San Antonio, Tex., has been awarded the sheet metal and roofing contract for \$600,000 Plaza Hotel, in Corpus Christi, Tex.

#### Louisville, Kentucky, Contractors Hold Good Time Picnic

The Louisville Ladies' Auxiliary were guests of the Sheet Metal and Roofing Contractors' Association at a picnic they gave at Fern Creek, Kentucky, Sunday, August 19th.

This is an annual picnic which the contractors give for their members and families and no expense was spared to make it enjoyable. A real chicken dinner was the first number on the program, which was followed by dancing, games for the children and card games for those who did not care to dance.

Eddie Welsh dispensed the Heim Ge Macht and served with distinction. The distinguished waiters added much to the dinner—among them were Bill Mehler, Fred and Henry Schwab, Chas. Schott, Winston Johnson and Gus Krauth and Bill Fischer.

Our old friend Ed. Merrick in a knee length apron and a corn-cob pipe supplied each and every one at the table with a generous helping of chicken giblet gravy, which made him the most popular man on the grounds.

The menu consisted of fried chicken, corn on the cob, Cadofel salad, sliced tomatoes, slaw, olives and pickles and ice cream. Second course—more fried chicken, giblet gravy, corn on the cob and repeat for the other six courses.

The next social gathering will be given by the ladies at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Goldner, Saturday afternoon and evening.

#### T. & B. Has New Pamphlet on Their "Cobble" Register

Tuttle & Bailey Manufacturing Company, 441 Lexington Avenue, New York City, have recently issued a folder describing their new "Cobble" line of registers.

In order to learn how this new register permits blending of colors and how savings are effected in its installation, the furnace installer should write for a copy of the pamphlet, which will be mailed upon request.

# Constructing Pattern for Offset to Clear Beam in Basement

Problem Met with Many Times by Warm Air Furnace Installers

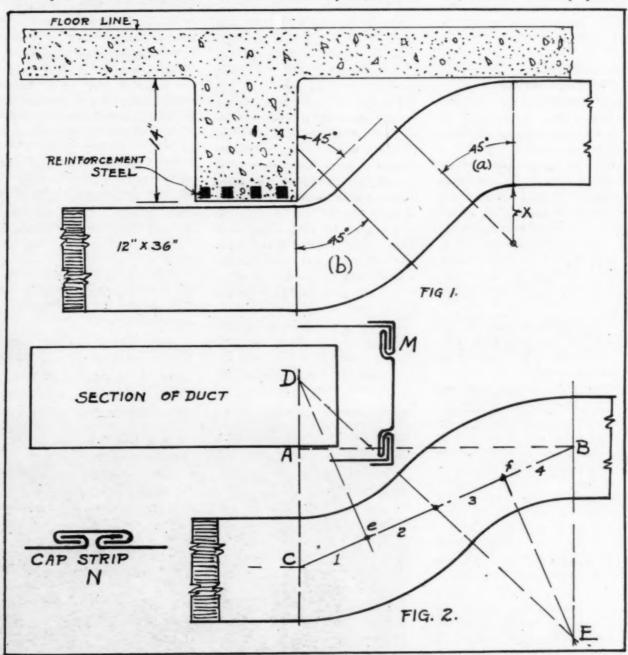
By O. W. KOTHE, Principal St. Louis Technical Institute

R ESPONDING to the inquiry of Tony Zicke, San Francisco, California, I submit the accompanying drawing will show the usual procedure of making offsets to clear beams. The type shown in Fig. 1 is the simplest and easiest to make.

It is merely two 45-deg. angles joined to straight pipe, as (a) and (b) indicate. The radius X, can be made anything, from one-half the depth to two times the depth.

Another offset is shown at Fig 2, which is harder to lay out, since we

have a length A-B and an offset A-C to deal with, and where the radius of elbow is proportioned so the two angles come together. The line B-C is divided in four equal parts as 1-2-3-4, and from the points e-f, lines are drawn perpendicular



Detailing of Duct Offsets

until they intersect the end lines as in points D and E. Draw the line D.-E., which divides the offset into two angles, the one being placed reverse to the other. Next measure your depth on each side of center line, and using D and E as centers, strike arcs, thus making the offset as shown.

The sides of Fig. 1 and Fig. 2 are already patterns, only edges must be allowed in accordance to the sort of seam you wish made.

At M we show the hammered lock, used to a great extent on such work.

At N, is a section of the cross strip for joining, permanently, the edges together.

# Trade Development Book Nearing Completion— Mail by December 1

President Paul L. Biersach of the National Association of Sheet Metal Contractors has issued a statement to the effect that work has now progressed on the Trade Development Book to a point where it is now about ready to go to the printer. The actual printing of the book will require between thirty and sixty days, so that the mailing of the book should be under way about the first of December of this year.

President Biersach urges that all members of the association who have not taken up their pledges by sending the money to the National Secretary, W. C. Markle, should do so with as little delay as is possible.

All other association work is being more or less held in abeyance in order that the entire attention can be concentrated on the production of the book. When this is safely in the hands of the printer, other association matters will be taken up in the order of their importance.

To this end the president asks that all members of the association have patience and respond as quickly as possible to the requests of committee chairmen having the work in hand. The production of the book is a herculean task, as all will agree once it is produced.

Therefore, if you have made re-

quests of the association which have not been attended to as promptly as you think they should have been, just bear in mind that the officers and committee members of the association are now concentrating the greater part of their efforts to the production of the book. It should be ready for mailing about the first of December. This is the statement of President Paul L. Biersach, who is in close touch with all phases of the work.

#### Small Oxy-Acetylene Generator Makes Large Cut Successfully

A scrap yard in the middle west had a 3½-ton cast iron split flywheel to reduce to handling size. Each casting had a 7 ft. radius, measured 24 in. across the face and had a depth of 3¼ in. except at the center, where an internal rib increased the dimension to 6½ in. Cast iron is, of course, much more difficult to cut by the oxy-acetylene process than either steel or wrought iron, and some trouble was expected in doing this job.

Although, at first thought, it seemed like sending a boy on a man's errand, it was decided to use a small acetylene generator of a well-known portable type for a job of this type.

Much to the surprise and gratification of the manager of the yard, two cuts were made with ease, the first being shown in the illustration.

The total time for the two cuts

was 40 minutes. Gas consumption amounted to 250 cu. ft. of oxygen and 50 cu. ft. of acetylene—an overload of about 35 per cent on the generator, which is very conservatively rated.

#### Master Sheet Metal Men of Wisconsin Confer in Milwaukee

The Master Sheet Metal Contractors' Association of Wisconsin met in Milwaukee September 5.

The following members were present: O. Geussenhainer, H. Geussenhainer, N. Ording, W. Gehrke, W. A. Belau, secretary.

Minutes of the July meeting were read and approved.

O. Geussenhainer reported that he had put much time and study to the tentative draft of a Uniform Mechanics Lien Act and has sent his recommendations to the Department of Commerce as requested, on July 31.

The association has been asked by the national office to remit for the 100 subscriptions made at the state convention and it was recommended that a letter be sent to all state and local members requesting them to remit for their subscriptions if they have not already done so. All subscriptions to be sent through Mr. Alfred Goethel, our state treasurer.

The matter of the state convention committee was brought up and held over until the next meeting for consideration.



Cutting Large Flywheel with Torch

# Sheet Metal Contractors Write Advertisements for One Big Copper Company

Contractors Find Well Advertised Product Easy to Sell Public

IF YOU have been following the recent Anaconda advertisements appearing in this publication you will appreciate the fact that they are so full of human interest because to a large extent they are being written by sheet metal men themselves all over the country. This is in accordance with a new practice inaugurated by that company some time ago.

Naturally, the average sheet metal man doesn't set himself up as an expert when it comes to writing advertisements. He may occasionally write an advertisement on the back of an envelope, for insertion in his own home newspaper, but for the most part he is content to let the specialists do their stuff. However. he is full of his subject, and that counts for a whole lot in the writing of a good advertisement. The American Brass Company, wisely realizing this, invited comments from their good friends in the sheet metal industry to help them in the preparation of copy for the sheet metal papers. In effect they said the following:

"You have been selling Anaconda copper for quite a while now, and no doubt you have some interesting slants on the subject. Will you jot down some of the reasons why you find Anaconda copper a good line to handle—a help in building up your sheet metal business to its present size? Tell us in your own way just why it meets the requirements of your customers—tell us anything you think would make good reading for other people in the sheet metal business."

Naturally, the contractors couldn't resist this appeal. They were full of their text and willing to tell why Anaconda copper should be put on every house in the form of gutters, rain-pipes and roof flashings. All over the country sheet metal veter-

ans were writing ads for the new Anaconda campaign. It has been jocularly said that it was nothing for a customer asking for a bid, to be told, "All right—just as soon as I finish this Anaconda ad. See you right after lunch."

From all points of the compass, the ads came rolling in to the offices of The American Brass Company, written on letterheads hailing from a dozen different states. And it may be added, that some of them were so interesting that the American Brass Company asked for photographs of the writers—and other photographs showing their work shops and typical Anaconda installations.

From Phil Kromer & Sons, Columbus, Ohio, came word to the effect that since taking on the Anaconda line, they had had none but satisfied customers—with business looking up.

Jack Curran, who does a big business in Scarsdale, N. Y., wrote that sales had increased steadily since he started standardizing on Anaconda copper. He added that the advertising done by Anaconda had been a great help since it had made his customers familiar with Anaconda copper.

Fred Schwing, Bridgeport, Connecticut, stated it was always a help if you could assure a customer the job would be done with a well advertised copper. He felt that association with the Anaconda name and prestige was one of the reasons why their business had gone ahead so fast.

Philip Christmann & Sons, Buffalo, New York, said it was comparatively easy to sell Anaconda copper, because the advertising done by the Anaconda organization had performed valuable missionary work, making it just that much easier for them to convince both

customers and prospects of the worthiness of good materials.

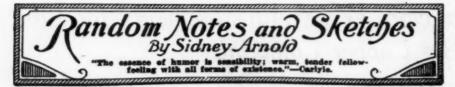
The well known firm of Klein & Kavanagh, New York city, dwelt particularly on the uniformity and easy working qualities of Anaconda copper, which enabled them to achieve highly ornamental and artistic results in sheet metal work. In general, the contractors modestly gave the bulk of the credit to Anaconda copper and not enough to their own skill in working it. The truth is, of course, that the best jobs are always a combination of skilled workmanship and worthy materials well sold.

One and all, however, agreed that advertising was a most effective selling help, since it brought the story of Anaconda sheet copper into millions of homes in all parts of the country and greatly facilitated the work of actual selling. The campaign is now fairly under way, with enthusiastic sheet metal craftsmen dashing off spirited copy in a way that shows they might easily have become A-1 ad writers if they had not elected to be A-1 sheet metal artisans, with an even greater service to the public.

#### J. L. Kingston, Bloomington, Illinois, Opens Business in Galesburg

J. L. Kingston, J. L. Kingston Sheet Metal & Roofing, 505 North Prairie Street, Bloomington, Illinois, has opened a sheet metal and roofing establishment located at 220 East Simmons Street, Galesburg, Illinois. The new firm will operate under the name of Kingston-Larson Asbestos and Roofing Company. P. A. Peach will be manager of the company.

Mr. Kingston will appreciate it if manufacturers of sheet metal and roofing products will send him catalogs and price lists.



L. N. Wagner, 1846 Jackson street, Dubuque, Iowa, who travels Illinois and Wisconsin territory for Excelsior Stove & Manufacturing Company, Quincy, Illinois, came in one day last week seeking some information. I was very glad to be able to give him what he wanted and enjoyed a visit with him.

Pullman Porter: "Yo' berth, please, ma'am?"

Virginia Hutchison, Louisville, very indignant: "It's none of your business, you impudent rascal."

Pullman Porter: "But, ma'am, you can't go to bed until you tell me."

Miss Hutchison, still more indignant: "Well, if you must know, it was April 1, 1912."

Here's one that Mr. Skinner of the Metaphram Regulator Company, told me during a recent visit to the office:

Liza and Fannie were discussing their Sunday night dates.

"Yes, mam, I done had me a neckin' party last night!"

"Neckin' party? Law, chile, don't you know them is out of style? They had them four thousand years ago."

"How you done know they had them four thousand years ago?"

"Cause my mammy done told me that the Bible says that King Solomon took the Queen of Sheba into the banquet hall and he fed her wine and nectar!"

Here's a little friendly advice to Roy Harrison, Rudy Furnace Company, all wrapped up in the following parcel:

Pat: "Have you christened your new baby yet?"

Mike: "We have."

Pat: "And phwat did you call it?"

Mike: "Hazel."

Pat: "Sure, bad cess to ye; with

223 saints to name the kid after, ye had to go and name it after a nut."

The accompanying illustration is that of Bernice Ann Kahlenberg, the one-year-old daughter of A. H. and Mrs. Kahlenberg. Mr. Kahlenberg is with Friedley-Voshardt Company, 733 South Halsted Street,



Bernice Ann Kahlenberg

Chicago. Miss Kahlenberg had her first anniversary on August 13 of this year. Her daddy is very proud of her and with good and sufficient reason. Even at this early stage in her career she gives every promise of even surpassing the beauty of her mother and she has a reproduction of the charming personality of her father. During my visit at the plant of the Friedley-Voshardt Company I also visited with Mr. Voshardt and with Mr. Biersach, President of the National Association of Sheet Metal Contractors.

The Judge: "So your name's Joshua, eh? You're not the Joshua that commanded the sun to stand still, are you?"

Joshua Holden: "Lor' no, Judge. Ah'm de man dat made de moonshine."

#### No Use for Breath

W. A. Fingles, of Baltimore, was driving through the section where he formerly lived, and stopped at a log cabin to get a drink. An old black woman came out and he recognized her as one from his old plantation. She was fat and slovenly and had a corncob pipe in her mouth, black, foul and dribbling over her chin. He spoke to her:

"Look here, aunty, aren't you a good woman?"

"Yes, sah, I is."

"Don't you know what the good book says about keeping yourself clean and undefiled?"

"Yes, sah, I heered about dat."

"Well, what do you suppose they will say to you if you try to get into heaven with your breath smelling from that dirty old pipe?"

"Now, hole on der, massa, I 'spects when I die and go to heaven I'se gonna leave my breff behind."

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S. S. Tuthill, secretary of American Zinc Institute, was looking over the inferno of Vesuvius in full operation.

"Ain't this just like hell?" he said in his excitement.

"Ah! zese Americans!" exclaimed a Frenchman, "where they have not been?"

One day our own Jack Johnson was seated in the waitingroom of a station with his odorous pipe in his mouth. One of the atendants called his attention to the sign, "No smoking."

"Well," said Jack, "I'm not smoking."

"But you have your pipe in your mouth."

. "Sure, and I've shoes on my feet, but I'm not walking."

#### Quite Cool, Indeed

A hotel was on fire and the guests, gathered out in front, were watching the flames.

"Nothing to get excited about," one traveling man, Dave Farquhar, I think it was, was boasting. "I took .my time about dressing. Lighted a cigarette. Didn't like the knot in my necktie and retied it. That's how cool I was."

"Fine," remarked a bystander, "but why didn't you put on your pants?"

# WOULD YOU HAVE BID MORE OR LESS THAN \$387 ON THIS JOB? IS BID OF \$317 TOO LOW FOR STANDARD CODE INSTALLATION?

THE Standard Code warm air heating worm has turned! Warm air furnace installers of the better class are at last arousing themselves to a point where they will soon squelch the man who thinks he is doing a wonderful thing when he takes a heating job away from another installer, but at so low a figure that he cannot possibly live up to the Code requirements and make his salt at it.

Furnace installers of the better class are tired of this sort of thing and they are now beginning to think to the end that they can eradicate themselves from their dilemma.

A. L. Mayers, Pekin Hardware Company, Pekin, Illinois, is presenting a problem to readers of AMERICAN ARTISAN on the matter of price for a Standard Code job. What Mr. Mayers wants is a representative figure from a Standard Code dealer in each part of the country. His idea is to check these prices with his own so that he can see in order to determine whether his own prices are in or out of line with what they should be. It seems that he is also troubled with competition of the type that to take work at any price is good business practice.

Here is a description of the job he has in mind:

AMERICAN ARTISAN.

Gentlemen: I am mailing specifications of a Standard Code heat-

#### WARM AIR REQUIRE-MENTS

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2 18-inch......508 inches 1 16-inch.....201 inches

Total ........709 inches Furnace capacity, 750 inches.

ing job that I would like to have you publish, at the same time asking for quotations on it from other heating men. My reason for doing this is because of the fact that another heating man, belonging to a sheet metal contractors association, and myself submitted bids on this job. My price was \$387 and his price was \$317. He claims he is making a profit. My cost alone was \$305.

Living room, 12'x29'; 8 windows, 2' 6"x5'; one door 3'x7'; 2 100-inch warm air runs, 156 inches.

Dining room, 12' 6"x14' 6"; 1 window, 3'x5'; 2 windows, 2'x5'; 1 12-inch warm air run, 113 inches.

Kitchen, 11'x11'; 3 windows, 2' x3'; one door, 3'x7'; 1 9-inch warm air run, 63 inches.

Bed room, 10' 6"x12' 6"; 2 windows, 2' 6"x5'; 1 10-inch warm air run, 78 inches.

Bath, 5'x8'; one window, 2'x3'; 1 8-inch warm air run, 50 inches.

Bed room, 10' 6"x12' 6"; 2 windows, 2' 6"x5'; 1 10-inch warm air run, 78 inches.

Three stacks to upstairs bed rooms, 3 8-inch warm air runs, 150 inches

Two 18-inch cold air runs; 1 16-inch cold air run. Total, 709 inches.

Furnace capacity, 750 square inches.

Very truly yours, Pekin Hardware Co. A. L. Mayers.

What would your quotation on this job be? Be specific!

## Who Manufactures "Sovereign" Furnace?

To AMERICAN ARTISAN:

Can you tell me who makes the "Sovereign" furnace?

HENRY W. PETERSON. September 3, 1928.

#### Reed Air Filter Company Has Folder on Clean Air

Clean Air is the title of a folder being sent to engineers by Reed Air Filter Company, Louisville, Kentucky, which states that there is a Reed air filter for every air cleaning need. Illustrations of typical applications of Reed air filters for general ventilation, electrical ventilation, air compressors and for warm air furnaces, etc., are given.

# Here's Furnace Installer Who Has Professor, Author and Minister Advertising for Him

H. F. Iler Builds So That Each Customer Becomes His Friend

By George Duerr

THE Madison Gilt Edge Company, 1128 South Park Street, Madison, Wisconsin, has changed its name to the Gilt Edge Heating Company. The incorporators of the new company are H. F. Iler, President and General Manager; E. H. Meyer and W. R. McCray. Mr. McCray and Mr. Meyer have

Thanksgiving time, and the professor was complaining that the warm air furnace would not function properly. He was having a hard time to keep warm.

#### Remodels Old Furnace Installation

A sketch was made of the rooms and the location of the warm air vision for cold air was lacking on the old arrangement, consequently the system would not work. This rectified, the system has functioned perfectly ever since. The professor has nothing to fear from the cold winter nights now.

But that was only the beginning of the incident. The dwelling is so constructed that there are three heating systems required for three different families that occupy the building, one to each floor. The time came when the furnace which heated the second floor failed in its turn to perform adequately. The owner, faced with the necessity of again calling in a heating man, remembering the fair and honest treatment he had received at the hands of the Gilt Edge Heating Company, stepped to the telephone and called them again, with the result that the company sold an entire new furnace this time. In addition they have had the work of servicing these jobs since 1925.

Here is an actual demonstration of the value to a firm of so conducting its business that it makes friends with each and every customer it gets. Here is a furnace sale made whose actual selling cost was the absolute rock bottom minimum. Why, because the customer had been treated fairly on the previous occasion that he had had dealings with the warm air furnace installer that did his work. That man is a friend of the company and he is going to mention the company's every time that occasion arises among his friends to call in a heating man. He is also a good prospect for furnace cleaning and repair work.

Undoubtedly in the course of the next few years the Gilt Edge Company will be able to point proudly to a good sized list of satisfied users of warm air heating systems as the



To Change the Views of a Minister Is an Accomplishment Worthy of the Highest Kind of Praise

been in the employ of the company since 1924.

Mr. Iler has incorporated some very progressive methods into the sales policies of his company, by means of which he is building a reputation for fair dealing, dependability, and good service that is becoming not only city wide in the Wisconsin State Capital, but includes many of the small surrounding towns.

An instance will illustrate one of the methods which is being successfully employed by Mr. Iler. Back in 1925 the editor of AMERICAN ARTISAN was visiting a friend who is a professor in the Extension Division of the University of Wisconsin, living in Madison. It was at

and cold air registers as they were then installed. This sketch was published in American Artisan shortly thereafter, asking how the job would be arranged, for here was a case of wanton lack of cold air. Many replies were received. Mr. Iler, who is a subscriber to American Artisan, saw the sketch and wrote in for further information about the installation, saying at the same time that he did not wish any warm air furnace user in Madison to be dissatisfied with that type of heating system if he could help it.

Calling on the professor, Mr. Iler learned who the owner of the dwelling was and got permission to rectify the system. Adequate pro-

# 3 new advocates of warm air heating



Three Members of the Intelligensia Who Have a Large Part in Moulding the Opinions of the Public. Mr. Iler's Gaining
Their Good Will Shows that He Has the Industry's Interest at Heart

result of that original rearrangement job completed back in 1925. Not much of a job in itself, but a power in helping the company to build a reputation for good work nevertheless. And no such opportunity, regardless of how small, is to be neglected.

#### Advertising Value of One Job Amounts to Great Deal

In addition, the professor is coming into daily contact with other men who have similar problems to meet. Who is he going to recommend that they see to have their heating troubles taken care of? The company that gave him satisfaction, of course.

Then, too, the professor is renting now. He is a very young man. Sooner or later he, too, is going to build his own home. Who is he going to consult for the best system of heating? The answer is a foregone conclusion. Through the care exercised by Mr. Iler the professor has had the efficiency and economy of the warm air heating demonstrated to him. Mr. Iler is going to

have a shot at that new installation, when that time comes, because Mr. Iler has been building for permanent business, and he has already demonstrated that fact to the entire satisfaction of the professor, as well as the owner of the house, who is a minister and gets around among



H. P. Lier

a lot of people, and the tenant on the second floor, who is an author. There are three men and their families who are going to say nothing but good for the Gilt Edge Heating Company and the men who operate that company.

The beauty of it is that in many of the jobs taken in this manner, the contractor does not even have to face competition at all. He has so wrought in his business conduct that his recommendations are eagerly sought after and they are followed as readily with a signed contract for the work.

# Competition Is Almost Nil on Such Work

Had Mr. Iler done anything less than what he did do when this opportunity to show what a warm air heating system can do when properly installed, he would not now be reaping the benefits of this potent advertising.

There is nothing unusual in this little story of an incident in the experiences of the Gilt Edge Heating Company. It does show, however, that the attitude of the company and the men back of it is all that it should be to build permanent business. It shows that these men fully appreciate the advantage to them of having everyone with whom they come in contact think well of them

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# Commercial Oil Burning as Viewed from the Mechanical Standpoint

A General Review of the Different Types of Oil Burner and How They Operate

By HARRY F. TAPP, Technologist American Oil Burner Association

THE term commercial oil burning is used to designate application of oil burning to units used primarily for heating in commercial buildings, such as office or factory

#### Labor Requirement Reduced

It is practically impossible to make an accurate comparison of the cost of using oil as against the used in commercial application, the cost of the fuel alone will be very nearly the same. Therefore, the saving can be attributed to the method of handling and utilizing the fuel. Where oil is used, the labor for stoking, cleaning fires and handling ashes is eliminated so that the labor required for attending oil fired units is only about one-fourth that required where coal is used in a hand fired plant. Even where coal is handled by the most modern equipment the oil still holds a good advantage, as it is readily moved by means of pumps which cost less than the equipment for handling coal and ashes.

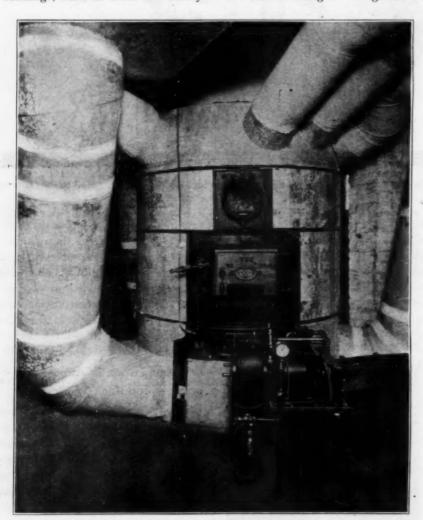
#### Additional Advantages

Additional advantages are obtained by the use of oil in the congested business districts due to the convenience of storage and delivery, which is accomplished quickly, quietly and efficiently. As the storage tanks are all underground, it also makes available in many instances, the space that would ordinarily be used for storage of coal.

#### Steam Atomizers

Atomizing burners are used practically exclusively for installations with heavy oil. There are generally three types of burners, steam atomizing burners, air atomizing burners and mechanical atomizing burners.

The steam atomizing burner has two classifications, the outside mixing and the inside mixing type. With the outside mixing type, the oil is forced through an orifice at a comparatively low pressure and just as it emerges from this orifice it is struck by a jet of steam traveling at high velocity from direction at right angles with the flow of oil. The steam jet tears the oil to pieces and injects it into the combustion chamber in a fine spray or mist.



Warm Air Heating Equipment Operating in Conjunction With an Oil Burner in the Home of a Prominent East Orange, New Jersey, Resident

buildings and large schools, hotels, theaters and apartments.

The fuel used in most commercial installations is heavy oil, designated as 14 plus or 14-16 gravity. This oil is very viscous at ordinary temperatures and requires preheating for successful atomization and clean burning.

other fuels in a general way. This is because there are so many factors that enter into this problem, such as the varied heat content of the various coals, their ash content, the ability to burn it successfully in given application and the cost of handling. With the present market prices of the grades of coal and oil

The inside mixing type has a turbulence mixing chamber between the steam orifice and the burner opening. The mixing inside the burner permits some vaporization of the lighter hydrocarbons from the heat in the steam so that the mixtures issuing from the burner opening light readily and maintain a steady burning flame. Steam burners require from 1.5 to 5 per cent of the total steam generated for atomization, 2 to 2.5 per cent being a good average and can be held with reasonable care by adjust-

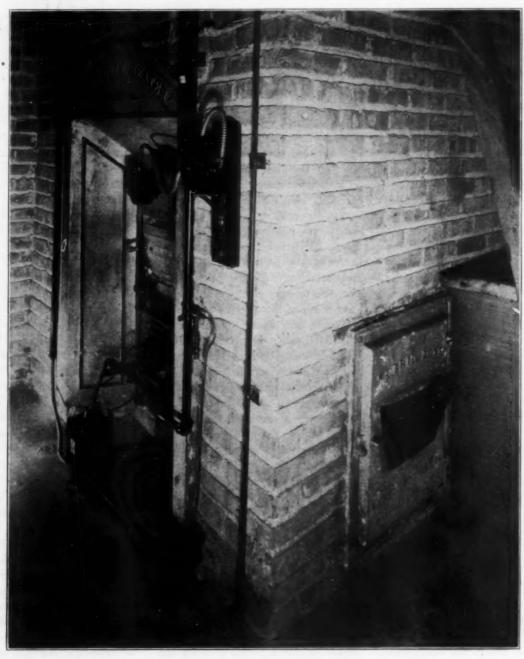
ing the burners. For the best results the steam should be dry, as all moisture introduced into the combustion chamber causes a loss in efficiency.

#### Air Pressure Atomizers

Air atomizing burners using high pressure air are similar in design to those using steam. This type is not used as much as low air pressure air burners. Ordinarily, high pressure air burners are used where a supply of compressed air is available. Low pressure air burners use comparatively large volumes of air under pressure of 1½ to 2½ pounds per square inch. Air atomizing burners are efficient, and if the blowers or compressors supplying the air are steam driven, they will require approximately 2½ to 3 per cent of the steam generated for the motive power, but the exhaust steam is available for use in the preheaters, so that the steam consumption compares very favorably with steam atomizing burners.

#### Mechanical Atomizers

Mechanical atomizing burners are those which atomize the oil



Oil Burner Operating in Conjunction With a Warm Air Furnace in a Large Industrial Plant, Chicago, Illinois. This Equipment Is Thermostatically Controlled

without the aid of air or steam, although it is common practice to use air under low pressure in connection with mechanical atomizers to further atomize the fuel, but this is not necessary. The high pressure atomizer forces the oil through the small orifice under a high pressure (100-200 pounds per square inch). The oil is given a rotary motion by slots cut tangentially to the diameter of the orifice of the burner, so that the centrifugal force of the oil leaving the orifice acts as an aid in atomizing the fuel. Another type of mechanical burner is the rotary cup burner. In some burners the cup is positively driven by an electric motor or steam turbine and has a fan mounted on the same shaft so as to provide a portion of the air for combustion under pressure to aid in the atomization of the oil as it leaves the edge of the rotating cup.

#### Air Turbine Atomizers

Another type of rotary cup burner is where the cup is driven by an air turbine by utilizing the velocity of low pressure air from a blower. This blower is usually located at a remote point from the boiler and has sufficient capacity to supply all of the burners in the battery, although there are some burners where each burner has its own individual blower. While the first cost of mechanical atomizing burners is usually comparatively high, they have the advantage of returning all the steam used to boiler feed water. This feature makes their use very attractive for marine practice. Further advantages of this type are simplicity and economical operation with uniform combustion regulation.

For some burners, the air for combustion is partially supplied from a blower used to aid in the atomization of the fuel, the balance being induced by the natural draft through a regulated damper. With other burners there is an air register which admits the air by natural draft through adjustable vanes, usually giving a rotating motion to the air as it enters the combustion chamber about the atomizer. Some burners are installed through a

small port in the firing door admitting a small amount of air about the burner tip and the balance of the air is admitted through openings arranged in the refractory hearth, when the fire brick is laid. These openings are usually arranged so as to conform to the shape of the flame from the burner so that the air comes in contact with the burning fuel and is not permitted to escape unused through the unit passage and up the smoke flue. Some installations are provided with means for providing forced draft by connecting the air register with a duct from the blower.

#### Regulation of Draft

While slightly less draft is required with oil burning equipment than is necessary where coal is used as a fuel on account of the draft loss through the unit that makes it advisable to follow the recommendations of the manufacturers in designing the chimney for use with oil fuel. Inasmuch as many oil installations are made to replace coal and the installation is not originally designed for oil, it is necessary to regulate the draft by means of dampers, which are connected to the control operating devices which operate from the steam pressure to vary the oil and air to meet the load fluctuations.

There are many factors that should be taken into consideration when selecting burners for application to a particular installation. A good burner should be flexible in its adjustments; it should be easily adjusted over a considerable capacity range, and its design should permit the shaping of the resulting flame from the burner so that the flame will fit the combustion chamber closely. A flame that does not properly fit the shape of the combustion chamber permits air to escape around the flame without properly mixing with the fuel and is, therefore, responsible for inefficient combustion results. If possible, it is best to use a single burner, rather than burners in multiple, wherever the shape of the flame can be adjusted to meet the combustion chamber requirements and the burner has sufficient capacity and flexibility to meet the variable loads imposed on the unit. Single burners ordinarily will satisfactorily meet the requirements for buildings such as schools, theaters, churches and apartments. For large office and commercial buildings the boilers are usually of such size as to require two or more burners per unit, in order to obtain the required flame application and flexibility of control.

#### Importance of Storage Tank Location

Regardless of the type of burner used, the installation of the oil system which includes the tank, heaters, strainers, pumps and piping is important.

Tanks should be installed in accordance with local rules when the storage of oil fuel, but in absence of local regulations suggested by the Underwriters Laboratories be followed. The oil heaters are usually steam coils, although in some cases electric heaters are used, especially for starting the burners from a cold condition.

A small heater is usually installed in the storage tank around the suction inlet. This heater is used to reduce the viscosity of the oil so that it can be readily pumped. Some jurisdictions require that this heating be done by hot water only.

The oil is delivered from the pump to the supply line for the burners and is passed through larger heaters where the temperature is raised to a point that insures the viscosity being low enough for atomization. This temperature is variable for different oils, but will usually be between 150 degrees and 200 degrees Fahrenheit.

Care should be taken to keep the temperature below the flash point of the oil. This is usually done by means of automatic temperature regulators which open and close the steam supply valve to the heater coils. From the heaters the oil is delivered as directly as possible to the burners for atomization. As all fuel oils contain a certain amount of foreign matter in suspension, it is important that the oil line have large strainers with sufficient screen area to permit their being used for

discharge oil strainers.

# some period of time without the screens becoming clogged and preventing the flow of oil. The best practice calls for strainers in duplicate on the suction side of the pump and additional strainers on the delivery side of the pump, known as

For small commercial installations the oil pumps are usually of the rotary type and are driven by electric motors and are sometimes incorporated into the design of the burner, but for the large installations, the steam operated piston type pump is commonly used. It is recommended that pumps and heaters be installed in duplicate. This is required in many jurisdictions where the heating service is used in connection with the fire protection apparatus.

#### Continuous Circulation System

With the various types of burners that are being used, there has been developed several systems which differ in construction. This difference is affected by the size and location of the installation which affects piping, pumping and tank arrangements. Probably the most widely used oil system at the present time is the continuous circulation system.

It is especially important to use this when burning the heavy fuel oils as without its use there is the possibility of choking up of the line and the attendant necessity of cleaning valves and burners at frequent intervals. In the continuous circulation system the oil is pumped from the tank by the oil pump and is delivered to the burner supply line; any excess oil is by-passed to a regulating valve back to the tank or to the suction side of the oil pump. In this way the proper atomizing temperature of the oil is maintained and the choking or accumulation of sediment in the supply line is avoided. In the layout of the piping it is important to keep the oily supply pipe below the level of the burner to prevent the formation of vapor pockets which are liable to shut off the supply fuel through the burner.

# Heat Required Negligible for Water Evaporation in Average Home

Amount of Coal Burned for Humidity Only 6 Pounds Per 24 Hours

By PLATTE OVERTON

MY attention was called to a recent article in your paper relative to the amount of heat required to evaporate water for humidification. A certain amount of heat is necessary, it is true, but in the average home of five to seven rooms the B. t. u.'s required would be practically negligible.

To make a rough calculation of a house 24 by 30, full two stories high, with two air changes per hour, we have 12,000 cubic feet times two, divided by 60, or 400 cubic feet per minute of air supplied.

Seventy degrees air with a relative humidity of 40 per cent contains 3.192 grains of moisture per cubic foot, and we have 400 times 3.192 equal to 1,276 grains of moisture per minute.

One pound of water contains 7,000 grains; 1,276 divided by 7,000 is equal to .18 pound of water. Basing our requirements on a 100 per cent recirculated job where the air is being recirculated over and over, we find that only one-fifth of this .18 pound of water is lost through the process of recirculation or given up to the occupants, furniture, leakage, and condensation on cold surfaces such as glass.

One-fifth of .18 is equal to .036 pound of water required per minute; 1,440 minutes in 24 hours equals 1,440 times .036, equals 51.84 pounds of water or 6.48 gallons.

It requires 858.69 B. t. u. to evaporate one pound of water, or 51.84 times 858.69 divided by 24 or 1,855 B. t. u. per hour, or about six pounds of coal per 24 hours or 900 pounds for the heating season.

It should be noted that this calculation is based on the peak load for the entire heating season, and the average winter would cut this amount of coal in half. Such items as cooking and laundrying tend to add humidity to the air and have not been considered.

The object of this letter is to show how foolish it is to condemn humidity because it costs money; 40 per cent relative humidity with its many benefits will far offset the cost of 400 or 500 pounds of coal even at \$20.00 per ton.

#### C. H. Carpenter in Sheet Metal and Hardware Business at Highmore, South Dakota

C. H. Carpenter, Highmore, South Dakota, has entered the sheet metal, hardware and plumbing business in that city, and is interested in securing catalogues from manufacturers of sheet metal products.

He is well known in this territory and should have no trouble in establishing himself in the sheet metal business.

#### PROFESSOR ADVERTISES FURNACES

(Concluded from Page 105) and the work they do; it shows that they have a definite sales policy which they are earnestly endeavoring to adhere to; it shows that they are on their toes, using every legitimate means of getting business. And that's about all there is to the building of any business.

It is needless to say that the minister and the professor were pretty will discouraged with warm air furnaces and warm air heating in general. Fortunately for the warm air heating industry Mr. Iler got to them with the true gospel of the Standard Code installation before they had transformed their thoughts into actions. Now they are all firm believers in warm air heating, because education of the right kind has convinced them.

# Modern Furnace Salesmanship Requires Appeal to the Reasonable

Furnace Men Must "Hit the Ball" in Making Sales These Days

By GEORGE T. SISLER\*

HEATING and ventilating is, in its true conception, without doubt or just cause for dispute, an art, and in this capacity art becomes a great factor in bringing comfort and health to humanity.

This being true, the man of ability can find for himself a pastime as well as a business.

How often have I been asked the question by many, many house-wives and husbands, "Why isn't it possible for us to make our basement as clean as our kitchens or living rooms?"

And here is where warm air heating becomes an art.

Some time ago I was called into the home of a doctor living in a town of a few thousand population, to look over his heating system. He had in his basement a unit that had given what he thought was satisfaction for over 25 years, and this job was ready for replacement.

There had been several heating contractors there before me who had left estimates to tear out the old job (unit) and replace it with another on the same installation.

My first view was not that I might place my unit in his basement, but to the doctor's view on sanitation.

He stated that he was proud to take any friend any place in his home (and he has a beautiful home) but his furnace room.

I carefully checked over his entire residence, using the Standard Code as my guide and rule, emphasizing that the method of assurance we had today was one of science, as well as his, in determining facts.

The gentleman became very interested, so that he requested sev-

eral patients to wait until I had finished (and I did not talk too much).

The result—that home today has a modern warm air heating system, with automatic fan, air filter, humidity fans, thermostatic control, and the good doctor *swears* he has the best job in his state.

Be this as it may, the fact remains that his basement is now a place of beauty—comfort is everywhere.

Again, a banker in one of our Ohio cities, whose beautiful home was heated during mild days partially satisfactory and in zero weather more than one-third of it had to be closed up, today enjoys comfort in every nook and corner, with cleanliness everywhere, because of the possibilities that are at our command.

Many instances could be quoted to show more fully, but space will not permit.

Converting the basement of a home from a dusty, dirty mass of unsightly heating units and scraggy, crooked pipes, with streamers of paper flapping and dusting one generously with a supply of ill-smelling dust, into a place of cleanliness and beauty, where even the finest evening dress can be worn without fear, or the top hat, ready for an evening rehearsal, can be worn; I say doing this is an art, and is within the scope of your ability and mine.

No longer is the bathroom a place of smells and roaches, for modernity demands that one's ablutions be surrounded with all that pertains to cleanliness.

The noisy (giraffe) ill-looking, high closet has given way to noiseless china tank and bowl. The scaly tin tub with its paint peeling off, which reminded one of lost skin instead of a clean body, is now a relic and has given place to a thing of beauty in the form of a built-in miniature pool.

But of sheet metal and furnaces, where and how is your product?

Yes, I know you have made great progress, but remember, you once were first, now you are trailing. Why?

In the words of the immortal Apostle Paul, "Ye did run well, but what hindered you?"

My friends, this one thing I know, and am persuaded, that there is nothing more beneficial to humanity than *comfort*, and that nothing is more comfortable than to be at peace in one's own home, surrounded with loved ones, and knowing that the artisans employed have given us of their best, so that one might have the bliss attending therefrom.

Therefore, it is up to us to lift our vocation out of its present state into the place of its calling and keep it where it belongs.

#### Agricola Baseball Team Tops the Industrial League

With a lead of three games the Agricola Furnace company team, Gadsden, Alabama, is setting the pace in the Industrial league as the end of the season draws near. The Agricola team has been hotly pursued by the Sauquoit Mill nine all through the season, but the furnace outfit has had the best of the argument so far.

Present standing of the teams, including all games up until Monday night, follows:

	W. I	L. Pct.
Agricola	 13 2	.867
Sauquoit	 9 4	.692
Steel Plant	 5 4	.556
Wetter	 6 6	.500
Stringer		.417

<sup>\*</sup>May-Fieberger Furnace Company, Newark, Ohio.

# "Anaconda Copper sells itself

... thanks to its advertising," says

the President of Philip Christmann & Sons Buffalo, New York

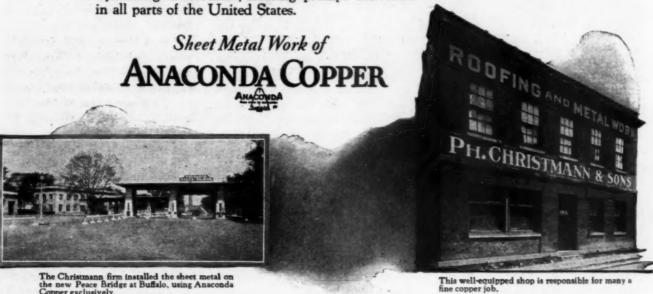


Philip Christmann & Sons, roofers and sheet metal workers, are widely known throughout Western New York. The success they have attained is due to their extensive experience and the fact that they have always done quality work and used quality materials. They know the value of national advertising. If you are interested in knowing why they prefer Anaconda, read the following statement by Philip Christmann:

"I don't have to sell Anaconda Copper—it sells itself—thanks to its advertising. My customers are familiar with it, and that is a big help. Anaconda advertising shows them why Anaconda Copper is a real investment. Copper may cost a little more at first, but in the long run it saves them money by doing away with repairs and replacements. They have learned that copper can't rust. That's where the economy comes in. I find few customers ever argue against Anaconda Copper."

Anaconda Copper is manufactured with the highest metallurgical skill by the world's largest and most experienced producers of Copper, Brass and Bronze. Its uniform quality and workability are due to the scrupulous care attending every stage of manufacture, from mine to finished product.

Stocks of trade-marked Sheets, Rolls and Economy Strips are maintained by leading distributors, assuring prompt deliveries in all parts of the United States.



THE AMERICAN BRASS COMPANY, GENERAL OFFICES: WATERBURY, CONNECTICUT

#### Master Sheet Metal Contractors' Association of Milwaukee, Wisconsin Hold Monthly Meeting

The Master Sheet Metal Contractors' Association of Milwaukee held their meeting in Milwaukee, September 5.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Inasmuch as the state association has been requested to remit for the 100 Encyclopedias subscribed for at the state convention, it was recommended that the secretary send a letter to all of our members urging them to remit for the Encyclopedias in full at the earliest possible moment.

Picnic committee reported that a nice time was had by all, but the attendance was far from what was expected. The treasurer reported a deficit of \$11.44, for which motion was made and carried that this deficit be paid out of the treasury. In this connection it was reported by one of our members that the wholesale houses suggested that the next year's picnic be run by them and invitations sent to all sheet metal men in the city. However, no definite program has been made and it was suggested that we take this matter up with them next May.

The attendance prize was taken away by Henry Pluckhan.

#### T. W. Yocum Becomes Managing Director Oil Heating Institute

Trell W. Yocum, one of the executives of the American Petroleum Institute, and well known in both the oil and the publishing fields, has been elected managing director of the Oil Heating Institute and the American Oil Burner Association. The announcement was made recently by Leod D. Becker, who will retire October 1 after six years' service.

Mr. Yocum was born in Mechanicsburg, Ohio, in 1893, and graduated from Ohio State University in 1914. After leaving college he engaged in newspaper and magazine work in Cleveland. When the United States entered the war,

he joined the first Officers' Training Camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison, but shortly after was incapacitated for military service by temporary physical disability following a major operation. From 1917 to 1919 he was a member of the staff of Herbert Hoover. From 1919 to 1924 he was with the Crowell Publishing Company, first as managing editor of Farm and Fireside, and later as managing editor of Collier's. In 1924 he became secretary, and later director, of the Committee on Public Relations of



Trell W. Yocum

the American Petroleum Institute, a position he holds at the present time. He resides at Indian Head Point, Riverside, Connecticut.

In Mr. Yocum, the directors have chosen a man ideally fitted for the increasing responsibilities of the position. He is a seasoned association executive. He will bring to the oil burner industry a thorough familiarity with the oil business, and his wide acquaintance with the leaders of the oil industry will be of material benefit to both the oil and oil burner industries. His selection emphasizes the growing importance of oil heating and the readiness for co-operation on the part of the oil industry which was shown last December by the endorsement of oil heating on the part of the Directors of the American Petroleum Institute.

"The present work and future growth of the American Oil Burner Association and the Oil Heating Institute is of importance to the industry," says Mr. Becker, "and my faith in the future of oil heating is stronger than ever. This year's sales are averaging close to 40 per cent greater than last year. There was never such confidence and desire for oil heat on the part of home and building owners as now exists." Mr. Becker continues as a member of the Board of the Oil Heating Institute and the American Oil Burner Association.



#### Anemometer

From Western Steel Products Company, Duluth, Minnesota.

Can you tell us who makes an anemometer?

Ans.—E. Vernon Hill Company, 64 West Randolph Street, Chicago. "Fabrikated" Cold Air Faces

From American Foundry and Furnace Company, Bloomington, Illinois.

Can you tell me the name of the manufacturer making "Fabrikated" cold air faces?

Ans.—Independent Register and Manufacturing Company, 3471 East 93rd Street, Cleveland, Ohio,

#### Copper and Brass Screw Caps.

From B. J. Malerich, Arrowhead Sheet Metal Co., 315 Fourth Avenue, International Falls, Minn.

Kindly advise me where I can purchase 6, 7 and 8 inch screw caps made of copper and brass?

Ans.—Merchant and Evans Company, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and Belson Manufacturing Company, 800 Sibley Street, Chicago.

#### Electric Spot Welder.

From B. T. Nickel, Mountain Lake, Minnesota.

Please tell me who makes an electric spot welding machine.

Ans.—Jos. T. Ryerson and Son, 2558 West 16th Street, Chicago.

#### Circular Saw for Furnace Men.

From L. N. Wagner, 1846 Jackson Street, Dubuque, Iowa.

Can you tell me who makes a small circular electrically driven saw which is used by furnace men?

Ans.—Wodack Electric Tool Corporation, 4627 West Huron Street, Chicago.

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## Steel Prices Hold—Needs Large

Large Buying of Non-Ferrous Metals Supported by Good Consumption—Prices Firm

O NE of the most important recent developments of signifit cance for the iron and steel industry was the announcement of the American Railway association edict against the use of wooden freight cars after 1930. This edict, if it means anything at all, means that the roads must replace probably 300,000 cars of wooden underframe construction in the next few years.

August's record steel tonnage appears safely in process of digestion and sources of demand, far from being dried up, are providing specifications whose proportions thus far in the month promise to carry September as well as to a new high production level.

To a mild extent, business has been and is being driven in by the threat of higher fourth quarter prices, but stocking of the character known prior to 1921 is negligible.

Many consumers, notably of sheets, have specified all their third quarter contract material and some have purchased supplementally at current prices, but substantially all this steel is earmarked for definite consumption.

There has been some anticipation, but little speculation. In these days of high handling costs and attractive interest rates, it takes more than the threat of a \$2 per ton advance to send surplus funds into stockpiles.

Another week of good business is recorded in the nonferrous metal markets.

Buying gives every evidence of being backed by excellent consumption. Nearly all buying is for early shipment. Prices on all metals except tin, have been strong with no actual change.

Higher prices on lead and copper are being discussed but in the latter metal powerful sentiment for keeping the price where is is exists. Copper

Domestic buying for October was large the past week and some producers are out of the market for this position. Some demand is met for November delivery. Users are well covered for October. Little September copper is available. The situation is so strong that a rise in price would not be surprising.

#### Lead

Buying has continued active with business well divided between September and October.

The market has been placed in a strong position by continued buying. Export business has been good. Prices are unchanged but the trade would not be surprised to see higher prices than 6.40c. New York, and 6.25c, East St. Louis, now quoted.

Tin

Buying by consumers fell off for several days and prices slumped, especially on spot. Futures have shown a little more firmness.

The price tendency has been in the face of better statistics last month than had been expected. The visible supply went up only 434 tons whereas a big increase had been expected earlier.

On the other hand the total visible now is 4,000 tons larger than a year ago, and there is some fear of further accumulation before the end of the year.

#### Zinc

Prime western is moderately active, mostly on small lots sold from day to day. The price remains unchanged at 6.25c, which has ruled since early in August. At the end of August stocks showed an increase of 2,206 tons compared with July, the increase being due to the fact that output exceeded shipments.

#### Pig Iron

Large tonnage sales of pig iron at Pittsburgh are lacking and prices generally are unchanged, with a number of sellers continuing to name the recently advanced figures as minimum.

Some users are covered for a short time ahead, but restricted stocks in certain instances are providing a fairly steady run of small lot business. Most sellers continue to name \$17, base, valley, as minimum for No. 2 foundry iron, at which price sales have been made, but reports still are heard of transactions at \$16.75.

The falling off in pig iron bookings at Chicago as a result of the recent advance in the Chicago furnace price is less marked than was expected. Most buyers estimated their needs conservatively before the advance, and have been coming into the market. Others failed to cover and now find supplies short. Merchant stocks have been reduced to the lowest point in many months. Little St. Louis district iron is coming into the territory just west of Chicago. Sales of silvery iron during the week totaled more than 700 tons, sellers obtaining the full schedule. The base price of \$18, Chicago furnace, is holding steadily for No. 2 foundry and malleable.

Activity still is noted in pig iron buying at Birmingham, though small lots predominate.

Furnace interests are meeting all requests for steady delivery, and surplus stock is being reduced slowly. The price is firm at \$16.25, base, Birmingham, with indications of another advance.

#### Old Metals

Wholesale quotations in the Chicago district, which should be considered as nominal, are as follows: Old steel axles, \$16.25 to \$16.50; old iron axles, \$24.00 to \$24.50; No. 1 wrought iron, \$11.50 to \$12.00; No. 1 cast, \$13.50 to \$14.00; all per net tons. Prices on non-ferrous metals are quoted as follows, per pound; Light copper, 10½ cents; zinc, 3½ cents; cast aluminum, 11¾ cents.



But "home" to what? A little cabin built of rough-hewn timbers through which the melting snows slowly seeped in the winter—a little cabin that might be demolished in seconds by a forest fire in the summer.

"Home" never meant comfort or safety to these old pioneers of what is now the "West that Inland Serves".

But today — in these very same regions — buildings of every description are covered with INLAND COPPER ALLOY STEEL SHEETS. Here is a material which offers complete protection against fire and lightning - a material which is unsurpassed in resisting rust and corrosion.

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# Chicago Warehouse Metal and Furnace Supply Prices

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METALS	American Pig\$7 20	Adams' Sheet Metal	FIRE POTS
	Bar 8 26	7 inch, doz	
PIG IRON Chicago Fdy.,	Pig Tinper 100 lbs. \$55 75	A luck des	
No 9	Bar Tin per 100 lbs. 56 75	10 Inch, doz 2 80	No agen Vananana an
Southern Fdy. No. 2		14 inch. dox 5 00	
FIRST QUALITY BRIGHT	MEIAL SUPPLIES,		No. 10 Tinner's Furn. Square tank, 1 gal 11 20
TIN PLATES	WARM AIR FURNACE FITTINGS AND ACCES-	EAVES TROUGH Galv. Crimpedge, crated 75 & 10%	No. 15 Tinner's Furn. Round tank, 1 gal 10 70
IC 20x28 112 sheets\$25 10 IX 20x28	SORIES.	Zinc, "Barnes"60%	No. 21 Gas Soldering Fur-
1X 20x28 29 60 1XX 20x28 56 sheets 16 20 1XXX 20x28 17 55	ASBESTOS	ELBOWS	No. 110 Automatic Gas
1XXXX 20120	Paper up to 1/166c per lb. Roll board	Conductor Pipe	Soldering Furnace 10 50
TERNE PLATES Per Box	Corrugated Paper (250	Galv. plain or corrugated,	Quick Meni Stove Co.
IC 20x28, 40-lb. 112 sheets \$25 00 IX 20x28, 40-lb. 112 sheets 27 75 IC 20x28, 25-lb. 112 sheets 21 15	sq. ft. to roll)\$6 00 per roll	round flat Crimp.	Vesuvius, F. O. B. St. Leuis 30%
	BRUSHES Furnace Pipe Cleaning	26 Gauge	(Extra Disct. for large quantities.)
IC 20x28, 20-lb. 112 sheets 19 55 IV 20x28, 20-lb. 112 sheets 22 05 IC 20x28, 15-lb. 112 sheets 18 05	Bristle, with handle, each \$0 75	34 Gauge	quantities.)
	Flue Cleaning Steel only, each 1 26	Galv. & Terne Steel	GALVANIZED WARE
"ARMCO" INGOT IRON PLATES	BURRS	Piain Rd. and Rd. Corr.: 28 Ga	Palls (Galv. afte made), 10-qt
¼ in.—100 lbs34 55	Copper Burrs only40-214%	26 Ga46%	Tube (Galv. after made).
COKE PLATES	CEMENT, FURNACE	24 Ga15%	No. 1 5 78 No. 3 6 50
Cokes, 80 lbs., base, 20x28 \$13 60 Cokes, 90 lbs., base, 20x28 13 80 Cokes, 100 lbs., base, 20x28 14 00 Cokes, 107 lbs., base, IC	American Seal, 5-lb. cans, net \$ 45, American Seal, 10-lb. cans, net 2.5 American Seal, 25-lb. cans, net 2.25 Pecora	Square Corrugated	
Cokes, 100 lbs., base, 20x28 14 00 Cokes, 107 lbs., base, IC	Pecoraper 100 lbs. 7 50	No. 28 Gauge	GLASS
Cokes, 135 lbs., base, IX	CHIMNEY TOPS Adams' Revolving	Pertico Elbows	Single Strength, A. 52-in. brackets
20x28	Wt. Doz. Price Doz.	Standard Gauge Conductor Pipe,	Single Strength, 9, 34 to 40- in. brackets88%
Sheets	6 in	plain or corrugated. Not nested	Single Strength, A, all other
cokes, 195 lbs., base, 56	9 19 51 Ibs 16 60	Nested Solid 70 & 6%	brackets Double Strength, A, all
sheets 10 90	10 in56 ibs18 00 12 in66 ibs22 00 14 in110.lbs36 00	Sq. Corr., A. & B. & Octagon	alwes89-5%
BLUE ANNEALED SHEETS		- 28 Ga50%	HANGERS
Base 10 gaper 100 lbs. \$3 35 "Armco" 10 gaper 100 lbs. 4 00	CLINKER TONGS Each	26 Ga35%	Conductor Pipe
ONE PASS COLD ROLLED	CLIPS	Portice	Milcor Perfection Wire28 % Milcor Triplex Wire10 %
BLACK No. 18-20per 100 lbs. \$3 60	No-Rivet Steel, with tail	1", 14", 14"45%	And Inpies wife
No. 22per 100 lbs. 3 75 No. 24per 100 lbs. 3 80	pieces, per gross\$9 60 Rivet Steel, with tail	Copper	Eaves Trough
No. 26per 100 lbs. 3 90 No. 27per 100 lbs. 3 95	Tail pieces, per gross 2 40	16 oz., all designs50%	Milcor Steel (galv. after forming) Listplus 13%%
No. 28per 100 lbs. 4 05 No. 29per 100 lbs. 4 20	COPPERS—Soldering	Zine—	Milcor Selfiock E. T. Wire, Listplus 50%
No. 30per 100 lbs. 4 30	Pointed Roofing  3 lb. and heavierper lb. 480	All styles	
"ARMCO" GALVANIZED  "Armco" 24per 100 lbs. \$6 15	2 1bper lb. 46c 2 lbper lb. 48c	ELBOWS-Stove Pipe	HOOKS
	1 lbper lb. 55c	1-piece Corrugated, Uniform Blue "Milcor" No. 22 Gauge, Dox.	"Direct Drive" Wrought
No. 16per 100 lbs. \$4 15	CORNICE BRAKES	5-inch\$1 05	Iron for wood or brick 16%,
No. 18per 100 lbs. 4 30 No. 20per 100 lbs. 4 45	Nos. 1 to 6BNet	6-inch 1 20 7-inch 1 76	HUMIDIPIER
No. 22per 100 lbs. 4 50 No. 24per 100 lbs. 4 65	Gal., plain, round or cor. rd.		"Frent-Rank," Automatic
No. 26 per 100 lbs. 4 90 No. 27 per 100 lbs. 5 00 No. 28 per 100 lbs. 5 15	26 gauge	Special Corrugated	In single lots
No. 28 per 100 lbs. 5 15 No. 30 per 100 lbs. 5 55	DAMPERS	7-inch 1 60	In lots of 25 or more50-10%
Warranted	"Yankee' Hot Air 7 inch, each 20c, doz\$1 60	Adjustable—Uniform Blue	Vapor pans, etc., each50%
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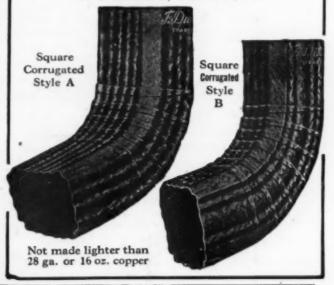
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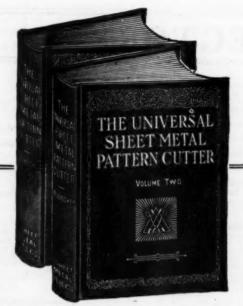
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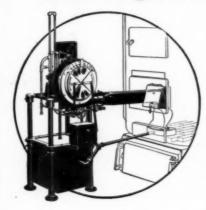
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